

EVENING BULLETIN.

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Theo. H. Davies & Company, Limited, have withdrawn all of their corporation and steamship agency advertising from the BULLETIN. In this they are perfectly within their rights, but when the reasons for their action, as given by their Mr. Swanzy, show that the motive is coercion or revenge, the public is entitled to know the particulars of the case. It is charged that the BULLETIN has not shown due consideration for the interests of a house that has given this paper its patronage. Instances are here given as stated to the proprietor of the BULLETIN by Mr. Swanzy. Some months ago a statement was printed in the news columns to the effect that the Davies corporation was going to transfer its sugar exports from the combination previously getting them to the Spreckels concern in San Francisco. The authority cited was a letter reported to have been written from England by Mr. Davies, head of the corporation, to his representative at San Francisco. Another instance of the BULLETIN's inconsiderate treatment of the Davies corporation is found in a paragraph of the shipping column some months ago. It quoted the harbor master, Mr. Fuller, as giving all the blame to the steamer Miowera for the fouling of a line in her propeller which caused a delay in her leaving port. With regard to the first complaint, the facts show the contrary of what of consideration on this side. When the news was brought to the editor, he told the reporter bringing it to see the gentleman in the Davies office for corroboration or otherwise of the interesting intelligence. Mr. Swanzy was seen by the reporter and refused to give any information on the matter, which he claimed in effect was the concern of no body but the corporation itself. The news was then published on what has proved to be good authority. Casually meeting the editor on the street some days later, Mr. Swanzy asked him for the authority. On being answered that it had been given to the reporter in confidence—which was not known by the speaker at that moment—the BULLETIN could not break with its informant, Mr. Swanzy said: "I don't care what you put in your paper. Only I was curious to know where you had got the contents of a private letter written by Mr. Davies." As to the shipping item in question, an expression of the harbor master, upon a matter such as gives much trouble in the harbor, was regarded as quite important. Of course there is some reason for sensitiveness regarding the Miowera, since her famous attempt to enter harbor overland a few years ago—not to mention her staying on the reef six weeks when she might have been got off in one tide—but the BULLETIN cannot suppress news to save the feelings of steamships. It will not do so even to save its own revenues from either advertising or subscription. The BULLETIN has always shown much consideration for the Davies and the Canadian Australian Steamship Line's interests, publishing a great deal of matter free by request from both. Yet the office of that corporation is a terror to reporters desiring the most ordinary information, such as the lists of passengers booked for the steamers, etc. Particulars can be furnished the superiors privately at any time. They would hardly interest the public.

BALTIMORE MINSTRELS.

Have a Full House for Charity on Saturday Evening.

There was a very good attendance at the performance of the U. S. F. S. Baltimore Minstrels on Christmas night. Admiral Miller had a party including Mrs. S. M. Damon and family in the left parlor. There was a roaring gallery. The funds of the Stranger's Friend Society will benefit weightily from the proceeds.

The full military band of the flagship Baltimore did grand orchestral music.

J. J. Vanderveer was manager as well as interlocutor. Ed. Richards was stage manager, besides rattling the tambour with P. D. Goebel and D. Williams. M. H. Sanders looked after the properties, while Bandmaster E. O. Kauffman was musical director. A. R. Keene, A. Anchenov and W. R. Turner were the bone clickers. About half of the crescent row of minstrels in the first part were dressed in feminine garb, making on either side of the interlocutor a gorgeous setting for his grave evening dress. This was a telling innovation.

Songs were billed in the opening to A. R. Keene, C. T. Marshall, A. Anchenov, J. J. Vanderveer, P. D. Goebel and Ed. Richards. The last-named was very hoarse, probably from cheering the losing boats in the naval regatta that day, and Mr. Vanderveer kindly took up his song, which with topical interpolations made a great hit. The singing of everyone was excellent, and there were several recalls. Chorus were also finely given. The jokes were unusually original, having reference mostly to things and persons on both ship and shore. A case of mistaken identity caused by one's growing a full beard in the tram ways ride to Waikiki brought down the house. "A hot time in the old town tonight," sung by the full company, was a rattling effort to bring down the curtain on the first part.

W. R. Turner opened the second part with a remarkably good exhibition of buck and wing dancing, also the song, "All coons look like to me." Goebel and Anchenov gave a laughable Dutch sketch, followed by lonehanded Hibernicism with song by Ed. Richards.

Williams and Carney performed the farce, "When Missus Is Out," to start the third instalment. They were in female servant costume and sang a duet. The house was pleased.

Marshall and Vanderveer next brought on a society sketch, "Marriage and Its Vicissitudes," in which Marshall shone acting the lady. He showed himself an actor of no slight skill. The piece in a literary way was nothing at all—a mere skeleton to hang songs on—but the byplay was hugely enjoyed and each of the four songs was highly acceptable.

An end piece, "Chinese Help," by Vanderveer, Marshall and Richards, sent the audience out laughing. While the first two gave first-rate stage business as Dr. and Mrs. Van Conkin, the "Black Chinese" done by Richards took the Christmas pudding for making sheer fun. His acrobatics and antics could not be improved upon by a professional comedian.

The whole show was a grand credit to Mr. Vanderveer and his associates.

Backmen Coined Money.

Friday is a recordbreaker in the hack business. A canvass of the drivers disclosed the fact that not a hack in the city, except a few Chinese and Japanese outfits, took in less than \$10 during the day. Many made \$25 to \$40. One hustler took in \$62; another reported \$57. It is safe to say that \$4000 went to hackmen during that day, and half that much on Christmas.

Pure Milk and Fresh Eggs.

What is nicer and more refreshing than a fresh egg shaken up with pure milk, shaved ice and flavored to suit your taste with fresh syrups; invest 10c. and try one. Also shake made with pure milk and any desired flavor 5c.

PALAMA GROCERY, Opposite Railway Depot, King street.

The Hawaiian News Company are cutting prices all to pieces on bound books. See their notice in another column.

Timely Topics

December 21, 1897.

There is yet time before the holidays for us to call attention to a few novelties just received from the Coast and which will make very acceptable presents.

The LAUGHING CAMERA is something new which must be seen to be appreciated. For a fit of the blues, reverses in love or business this little camera is a sure cure. With it you can get barrels of fun and oceans of laughter all for 75 cents.

SILVER TEA BALLS are new to this market. They are simply round perforated receptacles for tea. Touch a spring, fill the ball with tea and drop it into a cup of boiling water and you have a delicious cup of tea in a couple of minutes perfectly strained and beautifully fresh.

CHILDREN'S SETS, consisting of knife, fork and spoon, are always acceptable. We have something new in this line, silver fork and spoon and pearl-handled knife, very handsome and very cheap.

We have just opened out some new patterns in SILVER BERRY and CREAMSPOONS, also very cheap.

Among other things suitable for gifts we have Double Carving Sets, Elegant Bedroom Toilet Sets, handsome novelties in lamps and shades, onyx tables, etc.

THE

Hawaiian Hardware Co., LIMITED.

NO. 307 FORT STREET, Opposite Spreckels' Bank.

Auction Sales by Jas. F. Morgan.

Underwriter's Sale.

On WEDNESDAY, Dec. 29, AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

at the Oceanic Wharf, Honolulu, I will sell at Public Auction for account of whom it may concern, the following Merchandise damaged on voyage of importation per S S Arratoon Apear from Calcutta to Hongkong and received in Honolulu per S S Rio Janeiro, Oct. 23, 1897:

MARK

J. D. S. & B. Co.

57 Bales (800 in each) Sugar Bags.

Terms Cash. U. S. Gold Coin.

JAS F. MORGAN,

783-3t Auctioneer.

SPECIAL NEW YEAR RACES

—AT—

Cyclomere Park, Saturday, Jan. 1, 1898,

Commencing at 8 o'clock p. m.

Admission, 25 cents. Admission and Grand Stand, 50 cents. Box seats on sale at Wall, Nichols Company. 796-5t

For Sale.

House with two bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, bathroom with patent W. C. and bath tub, pantry, kitchen and stables, on Vineyard street, suitable for business man; 5 minutes walk from town.

For further particulars, apply to 267-1t A. V. GEAR & CO.

To All Whom It May Concern.

Notice is hereby given that Mr. Kanaye Tosawa has been appointed Agent of the Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., in the Hawaiian Islands in the place and stead of Kotaro Ueta.

YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LTD. Dec. 9, 1897. 796-3t

N. FERNANDEZ!

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Office: 208 Merchant street, Campbell Block, rear of J. O. Carter's office. P. O. Box 336.

Cut All to Pieces

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And Will Die

in a few days more. With the coming of the New Year, you will want one of our Art Calendars. Only a few more left.

Hawaiian News Co.,

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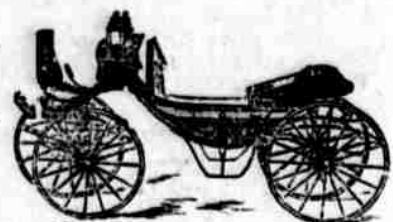
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Block.

1 Door above Club Stables' Entrance.



JUST RECEIVED AND OPENED UP A FINE LOT OF

VEHICLES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS!

Made specially for this climate and the tastes of the people. Particular attention is called to

Canopy Top Road Wagons

Finished in Natural Wood. Come and examine these. They are beauties. Price within reach of everybody. Also, a fine line of

Double and Single Harness, Whips, Lap Robes and General Carriage and Stables Supplies.

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"It Takes Years to Built Up a Sound Business

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Another truth is that you can buy a cheap wheel from \$40 to \$50, but why should you do so, when you can buy one made by the RE-INGTON COMPANY for \$85?

If You Want

bicycle supplies of any kind, come to us.

To Kill

Plover or Ducks, use our shot-gun ammunition. It never fails.

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IS YOUR SOLE ON EARTH?

If so, we can comfort you by fitting you with a pair of Up-to-date shoes, and Up-to-date prices.

Does Your Boy Stub His Toe?

Well, it is because you buy clumsy, ill-fitting shoes for him. Bring him in to us, and we will fit him properly, and it won't cost any more.

A. E. MURPHY & CO.

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FOR THE

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We now offer their Brands of Flours as follows:

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Offers special advantages to Xmas shoppers in its excellent assortment of GOOD THINGS FOR THE SEASON to suit all ages and all purses, consisting in part of:

Calendars and Diaries for 1898, Xmas Cards, Booklets.

Fine editions of Poets, Standard Works, Handy Classics, Newest fiction by the best Authors, Best Books for Young Men and Maidens, Juveniles and Babies.

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Finest Leather Goods in Portfolios, Lap Tablets, Blotters, Inks, Ladies' and Gent's Trav. Companions, Bicycle Companions, Ladies' Bags and Belts, Glove and Handkerchief Cases, Pocket Books, Purses, Brush Sets, Music-holders, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Nail Sets, Pin Trays, Cigarette Cases, Photo Frames.

Xmas Novelties in Pyraline, Hand Painted Silk and Linen Articles for the Boudoir.

Stylish Papeteries, Tablets and Society Stationery.

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Steamboats, Yachts, Wagons, Barrows, Dexters, Doll Carriages, Bicycles, Craynet, Swing Chairs, Garden Sets, Tea Sets, Kitchen Sets, Laundry Sets, Brooches, etc.

Dolls and Dolls' Sundries being Santa Claus' specialties need no enumeration; just ask for what you require.

Dresden Pattern, Plain and Tint Edge Crope Tissues, Fine Colored and White Tissues and Sundries for Flower Work.

Xmas Candles and Xmas Tree Ornaments, etc. etc.

Hawaiian Annuals and Subscriptions to periodicals for the coming year are also timely and appropriate gifts for self or friends at Xmas tide.

Thos. G. Thrum,

STATIONER, ETC., ETC.

Brewer's Block : : : Fort Street.